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The residence of the Misses Bodeker

was ablaze with light last night, the oc-

cusion being the S. P. C. A. social, which was among the largest social functions of the week.

The house was beautifully decorated with pales.

with palms, carnations and potted plants,

while pink ribbons were drawn from chandelier to chandelier, making a charm-

ing effect. From behind a bank of palms an orchestra played sweet music, while during the evening an excellent musical

programme was rendered and recitations

programme was rendered and recitations given by Mrs. Yeamans. The guests of entering were received by Governor and Mrs. A. J. Montague, Misses Pearl and Ruby Bodeker, Mrs. Virginia Pleasants, Mrs. W. T. Robins, Mrs. Benjamin Palmer, Mrs. Parker Dashiel, Miss Lucy Temple Harrison, Miss C. H. Ellett, Mrs. Alice Reddy and Mrs. David Prosser.

The diving-room where the light re-

George F. Bagby, Mrs. William Maybee, Mrs. C. W. Harwood, Miss Lucy Claire Atkinson, Miss Mamie Harvey and Miss

Many handsome and elaborate gowns

were worn by the guests, who included some of the best known people in this

The silver tea and musical last night at the residence of Miss Louise Catlin was a decided success, and the guests were received by members of the Earnest Workers of Grace-Street Presbyterian Church Among the receiving party were

Church. Among the receiving party were Miss Louise Catlin, Miss Callie Courtney, Miss Lena Montgomery, Miss Mattie Mayo, Miss Nina Constable, Miss Pansy

Mayo, Miss Nina Constitute, Miss J. Paris and Miss Irene Robertson. Light refreshments were served during the ceremony and a musical programme and recitations were much enjoyed. Those who contributed to the enjoyment of the eventual of the contributed to the enjoyment of the eventual of the contributed to the enjoyment of the eventual of the eventu

ig were Mrs. C. T. Brengle, Mrs. M. B

Fitz, Mr. John Gooch, Miss Ollie Belle Harwood, Miss Adele Courtney, Master Bird Goodsbie, Miss Nina Constable and

One of the social events of next week

will be the "silver tea" Friday at the residence of Miss Maude Starke, on West

Grace Street, of the Young Girls' Mis

Grace Street, of the Young GHIS Missionary Society of the Second Baptist Church. Among those who have an interest in the social event are Miss Rosa Smith, Miss Evelyn Penick, Miss Vera Palmer, Miss Belle Willingham, Miss Kathleen Sherwood, Miss Susie McCarthy,

Miss Florence Young, Miss Madge Mont-gomery, Miss Katie Jones, Miss Inez Booth, Miss Bliss Williams, Miss Lucy

Miss Lucetta Knox entertained infor-

mally Wednesday afternoon in honor of her guest, Miss Clements, of Bristol, It. I. The decorations in the dining-room were of jonquils, and the dainty refreshments served by Miss Emily Knox and Mrs. Conway Macon Knox.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Walton an

Mr. and Mrs. Helly C. Macon mounce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Pocahontas Walton, to Mr. William P. Stultz, the ceremony to

take place April 16th, Rev. G. O. Meade

Mrs. Charles Walker entertained the Kate Wheelock Whist Club Thursday at-

Miss Mary Garnett McCarthy, who is

the guest of Miss Sophie White, is one of the most admired of the Baltimore society girls, and is winning many friends

Miss Eileen Hearon left yesterday at

Mrs. Richard Wilson will entertain the

Mrs. John Brander will be the guest the

Mrs. Carter Scott will entertain the Afternoon Euchre Club next Friday night. Miss Mary Johnston is the guest for a

first part of next week of Mrs. T. M. Brander.

new card club Wednesday.

Mrs. Shacklefoot cast and west.

W. P. Brock, Mississer tess next week.

in this city.

McCarthy and Miss Lillian Kellam.

Antoinette Wilkinson.

a Mandolin Club.

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NORTH CAROLINA AROUSED.

We have already referred to the Educational Conference at Greensboro, North Carolina, and it is gratifying to all the friends in the South of popular education to have such fine reports from the old North State. In speaking of the matter, the Raleigh Morning Post, one of the leading and most influential papers in the State, refers to it as "a new era in edu-

cation," and then goes on to say: The recent conference of educators i The recent conference of educators in Greensboro marks a new era in public education and also in public life in North Carolina. Men were there from twenty counties; teachers, county superintendents, school committeemen. Every college in the State was represented by its proceeding on a member of its faculty. The lege in the State was represented by its president or a member of its faculty. The Governor was there and the State Superintendent of Public Instruction. The convention lasted two days and was devoted entirely to educational conference and discussion. Each of the twenty county superintendents told briefly and pointedly of the condition of rural schools in his county. A college president who pointedly of the condition of rural schools in his county. A college president who was there says that these speeches by county superintendents were the most interesting and instructive educational talks he ever heard. They dealt with actual conditions. They told the naked that conditions were easy to see. facts; and the remedies were easy to see. It was an old-fashioned Methodist experience meeting of, from, and by edu-cators and for the benefit of education. It is a great point gained when men confess the truth about any condition. Nothing is to be gained by shutting our eyes to the plain truth and by covering up defects. When we acknowledge and confess them we are then in a position to look about for a remedy. Having fliscovered the defect in the school system, the educators of North Carolina are going to work in carnest to remedy it. The Morning Post continues:

It was the unanimous verdict of the conference that our public-school system is weakest in its rural schools, and it was resolved to devote all possible energies to improve our rural schools. School districts are to be consolidated, small schools abolished, better school-houses built and local textition schools as built, and local taxation adopted as a permanent means of school improvement. These are all wise measures. They go to the improvement of foundations, or rather to the laying of true foundations.

The South has been doing a great deal for education, and her efforts have been so noble that they have attracted the attention of philanthropists at the North, who propose to give substantial aid in this great work. One of these philanthropists was at the Greensboro meeting, and here is what our Raleigh contemporary says about him:

Dr. Wallace Butterick, representing the Dr. Wallace Butterick, representing the General Education Board, was there, and charmed everybody by his delightful perponality, his cordial manner, his quick wit and humor, and his wonderful tact and wisdom. The citizens of Guilford raised \$4,000 for rural school improvement, Dr. Butterick, in behalf of the General No. 1997 Person despite the piff. it. Education Board, duplicated the gift. It was done most graciously. He made the conference feel that he was not doing a

conference feel that he was not doing a favor, but accepting one.

This is a far-reaching movement; it means more than school improvement. It means the creation of public spirit, the arousing of patriotism, the development of philanthropy, and above all, the teaching of self-help and of help through community power. The Southern people have accomplished so little through community power that they scarcely know manity power that they scarcely know what it is and what its possibilities are. They will learn the lesson through local taxation for rural schools and good roads. What shall we say of the good men, the wise and far-sighted philanthropists who have aided in this work, who have in fact made it possible? They are setting forces in operation that will revolutionize the moral life of the South. board needs only to be named to indi-cate its character. Their names will some day be inscribed in the rural school-houses of North Carolina, and they will be forever known as "Friends of the South and Lovers of Humanity."

The General Education Board is com-

The General Education Board is composed of representatives of the Peabody Board, the Slater Board, and the Southern Education Beard, and is as follows: W. H. Baldwin, Jr., president; J. L. M. George Foster Peabody, Walter H. Page, Albert Shaw, Frederick T. Gates, Morris

The North Carolina people seem to understand and appreciate the object these Northern philanthropists have in view, and we are informed by representatives of the Southern Education Board that the overtures which have been made from that quarter have met with cordial response in North Carolina, and the work of improving their schools is now going ahead with a vim. Why it should be otherwise in a Southern community we cannot, understand. If there ever was purely generous and unselfish movement It is, in our belief, this movement upon the part of Mr. Baldwin, Mr. Ogden and their associates to which the Raleigh Post refers. These men are not seeking honor and glory for themselves. They are not down here to build universities as monuments to their family names. They are not here in a spirit of almsgiving. They take a very broad view. It is their contention that it is to the interest of Northern men, as well as to the interests of Southern men, that the children of the nation be educated It is their contention that the South has been bearing more than her fair portion of this burden of popular education, and that it is the duty of the North to share it. Therefore, they say to the Southern people. We propose to place in the hands of your representatives a sum of money to aid in the work you are doing. It is our desire to co-operate with the school authorities in the several States, and not our desire to organize and carry on an

independent movement. That is the way

they are working, and that is the way

they desire to work. They propose sim-

ply to supply the money that is now

being raised by taxation for public edu-

cation, and if the Southern people will only

co-operate the benefits to this and gen-

erations to come will be substantial.

Away with the absurd idea that these men are working here as missionaries among the heathen. They are simply trying to help in the work that we are already hoing; to help us by increasing our school funds. There is a way to receive graciously as well as to give graciously.

THE PRESIDENT'S VISIT.

The President's visit to Charleston has called forth the most cordial and friendly expressions from Southern newspapers. The Charleston News and Courier says that "the President has come and gone, and has left none but pleasant memories of his visit. Those who feared unpleasantness have been agreeably disfulfilled."

The Atlanta Journal says that "the President's visit will have a good effect all around."

The Knoxville Senunel says: "The have a tendency to overcome in the South to some extent the o position and criticism provoked by the Booker Washington incident." It further says that his sentiments regarding the relations of the sections were noble and patriotic and in line with the expressions of Mr.

The Nashville Banner says that the President's speech was in good taste and free from any unguarded utterances such as the public has cause to apprehend when he makes a public deliverance

The Columbia State says: "The visit of the President has been of high significance, demanding a special recognition from the people of South Carolina, not because the Chief Magistrate of the Republic has come to one of the oldest States, distinguished among the founders of its liberties and makers of its government, and accepted its hospitality, but because he has with point, with emphasis, with manifest cordiality, honored the State by 'repeated tributes.

It mentions the interesting fact, which had escaped our attention, that no President of the United States in half a century has, until now, testified to his pride in South Carolina, his honor for her people and their history. "The point which touches South Carolina," it continues, "is that Theodore Roosevelt has broken this long course of half hostile, half disdainful attitude, has claimed kin with us, has distringuished our men of merit by frank and hearty praise, has claimed for the Union the right of pride in South Carolina."

That is a most interesting deliverance, and it will, no doubt, be most gratifying to the President. Whatever may be said about his impulses, they are always generous, and the President always has the courage to speak his mind. He accepted the invitation of the South Carolinians in good faith, and he was not to be deterred from paying tribute to their great and patriotic and distinguished service to the Union because once upon a time these same people exercised their rights under the Constitution and withdrew from the Union, which could not be amicably maintained.

President Roosevelt's visit to South Carolina was a success and will strengthen the Union.

GENERAL HAMPTON DEAD.

Wade Hampton is dead. South Carolina's grand old man has gone the way ria in 1849. He came to America as an of all flesh, but he has left a noble record; a record of patriotism and conrageous devotion to principle and duty; a record resplendent in war and stainless in peace.

He was a great soldier and a great citizen. He fought for Southern rights with all his strength of body and mind and heart, and yielded not until the Confederate armies were overwhelmed by superior numbers. He was not merely a daring fighter; he was a noble soldier, who battled not for personal fame, but for a great principle and for the rights of his State. War did not make Wade Hampton glorious. It was he and men like him and their gallant and manly bearing that made our war glorious. Hampton was equally as grand and noble and admirable in peace. When the war was over he retired to private life and became a model citizen. He never trafficked in his renown. He never sold his influence nor lent his name to any questionable scheme for gain. When poverty came he was still the proud and manly Hampton. When his home was destroyed by fire and when friends proposed to raise a fund to rebuild it, he begged them to desist. He was afraid that some might think that Hampton was to receive a pecuniary reward for his service in war. His sensitive nature could not bear the merest suggestion of such a thing.

God bless his memory. He was an honor to the South, and all the South honored and loved him.

VIRGINIA, EXEMPLAR. The Birmingham News refers to the late lynching in Amherst county, Virginia, and takes this occasion to rebuke lawlessness in general. It mentions the fact that in this old and settled community the people have had every advantage of education and civilizing influence, and that it is remarkable indeed that in such a community a mob of white citizens have deliberately put a stain upon their good name. "Respect for the law," adds our contemporary, "obedience to its authority and a recognition of its power as a necessary restraining influence to crime and degeneracy are the criterion of a people's civilization and

at is humiliating to every Virginian that there is occasion for this rebuke from a newspaper in the far South. Lynching is had enough anywhere; it is worse in the Old Dominion, for she is affectionately called the Mother of States and Statesmen, and men in all parts of the country look to her for an example. When the people of a refined and cultured community in the Old Dominion organize a mob and take the law into their own bands and deprive a human being of life without a trial in court, as guaranteed by the Constitution, how can it be expected that law will be respected and order maintained in communities less advantageously situated? It is a respon- be May S, 1902.

moral standard."

sibility to occupy such a position as Virand it is our duty to live up to the stanceard which we have set and which is recognized all over the world.

OUR DISTINGUISHED GUESTS. The people of Richmond are gratified that members of Congress have come here to investigate and determine as to whether or not there is need in this city for a new Government building. There are so many jobs of this character that Congress men are naturally suspicious when an appropriation is asked from this city or that for a new building, and it is well for the members of the Committee on Public Buildings to make a personal investigation, wherever it is practicable to do so. appointed and those who were most san- So far as Richmond is concerned, we are guine have found their highest hopes glad that members of the committee have come here to see for themselves, for to see is to be convinced.

Richmond is a large and growing city and the present building is utterly inadequate. It it too small, it is out of date President's speech in Charleston will and it in no way meets the requirements. If the case be decided on its merits, there

> Speaking of our new suffrage plan, the Atlanta Journal remarks with some show of brag that "Georgia does not feet that there is any reason why she should follow the course which so many other Southern States have taken in regard to the suffrage question, and there is no other Southern State, and, for that matter, very few Northern States, in which the relations between the whites and the negroes are so friendly as they are in Georgia." And Georgia can always be relied upon to "roll up the usual majority" for the

> An interesting table has just been pub lished showing the cost to the State for guarding Joe Higginbotham, the negro vho attempted to murder Mrs. Webber vices to officers and men in the five military companies ordered out by the Governor to maintain the dignity and majesty of the law was \$2,090.—Warren Register.

Democratic candidates, Happy Georgia,

We hope that our contemporary does no think that the money thus spent was

PERSONAL AND CRITICAL. President Roosevelt has accepted membership in the Daniel Boone Rifle Club, of Muncie, Ind.

Every one complains of his memory; nobody of his judgment.-Rochefoucauld.

A Russian journalist relates regarding Tolstoi and his recent illness that when the doctor told him that he was out of danger, he replied: "It is a pity to give up the resignation at the thought of death." What troubled him particularly during his illness was that his physician would not allow the windows to be kept

Silence, when nothing need be said, is the eloquence of discretion.—Bovec.

The late Senator John Sherman's grave, n the Sherman lot in the Mansfield (Ohio) Cemetery, will be marked by a massive sarcophagus. It will be of Rhode Island granite, eighteen by eight feet at the base and will weigh thirty tons.

I had rather do and not promise than promise and not do .- A. Warwick,

Francis Varge, who died last week at Leon, Ia., aged eighty-five years, was Judge-Advocate-General of Louis Kossuth's provisional government in Hunga-

"De man what economizes in his young days kin order coal by telephone in de winter of old age," is the way Brether Dickey puts it .- Atlanta Constitution.

Mrs. Minnie Davis, of Omaha, Neb. thinks she is the youngest great-grandmother in the United States. She was married at the age of 13, became a mother at 14, a grandmother at 28 and a greatgrandmother at 45. She has children who are younger than her granddaughter.

Doctor-Your symptoms seem to show that you ride a great deal in trolley cars. Patient-That's the truth, sir. Doctor-Ah! It is plain your trouble is

tue to your sedentary habits. Now, then, what is your business?
Patient—I'm a motorman.—Philadelphia Press.

It is reported that the Emperor of Aus tria intends to buy the Hotel Beaurivage at Geneva, where the Empress of Austria died after having been stabbed by the an bly be converted into a sanitarium, in which will be erected a statue and chapel to the memory of the late Empress.

Why Policeman Duke Resigned. Editor of The Times:

Sir,-There appeared in your issue of the 9th instant an item which is calculated to do me an injustice; therefore, 1 beg that you will allo'w me space in your paper to correct this erroneous im-pression. In the item referred to, the public was lead to believe that my resignation as a member of the police force was offered because I was called upon to perform my first duties as a policeman in a snaw-storm. The facts ere these: When I sent in my applica tion about two years ago, I was very anxious to secure the place, but recently my wife's health has been such that I felt it my duty to hold a position which would enable me to be with her as much as possible. This is my reason for ofng my resignation. I wish, however, hank the Honorablo Board of Police Commissioners for the honor conferre ipon me in electing me as a member of

Very truly, RICHARD C. DUKE, Richmond, Va., April 11, 1902.

New Book Contracts. Several book agents from different sec-tions were callers at the office of the De-partment of Public Instruction yesterday. They are here in reference to the letting new contracts for books by

The present contracts will expire on July 31st of this year and book-dealers from all around are keenly interested in the matter. There is some dcubt, how-ever, whether the Board will take up the question as usual this year or will wait until the new constitution providing for the new board, goes into effect.

It is possible that the contracts will all be extended for a year, pending the adontion of the new plans. adoption of the new plans.

To Elect Commandant.

At a meeting of the Board of Visitors of Lee Camp Soldlers' Home, held Thurs-day night, it was decided to go into the election of a commandant for the Home to succeed the late Captain C. P. Bigger, at the next regular meeting, which will

THREE GOLD MEDALS PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION Miss Pattie McGehee will go to New port News next week, where on Tuesday she will take part in a benefit entertainment, which will be given under the aus-

> Miss Rebekah Woodbridge Bell returns home to-day from her visit to New York and Hartford. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nicholson, of Charlottesville, will in the future make this city their home, having arrived a few

pices of the King's Daughters.

Mrs. A. F. Robertson, of Staunton, paid a flying visit to her sister, Mrs. Hunter McGuire, this week. Mrs. Robertson has been visiting in Palm Beach and Jack-

sonville, and was on her return home. Mrs. William Wade will go to Charles ton next week, and will be at the Exposition on Virginia Day.

Miss May Jane Brauer will leave to-day on a visit to Cincinnati.

Miss Rebeccah Woodbridge Bell returned yesterday from a delightful North-

ple Harrison, Miss C. H. Entett, Mrs. Alice Reddy and Mrs. David Prosser.

The dining-room, where the light refreshments were served, was charming in a color scheme of pink, the centerpiece on the table being formed of roses in a cut-glass bowl, resting on a drawnwork mat, laid over pink satin. Among those who waited on the guests were Mrs. ern trip of two months.

Mr. Duval Craven, one of the professors of St. Albans School, Radford, Va., arrived in the city yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. Carson, of Lynchburg, will arrive in the city to-day and will be the guests of the Misses Moore.

FIRE IN THE COUNTY.

Two Frame Houses Badly Damaged and No Insurance.

A fire at 12:52 o'clock yesterday after noon on Friendship Street, Maddox Hill, Henrico county, destrayed two small frame dwelling truses, occupied by colored people. The fire originated in the house oc-cupied by John Chapman, and spread to the adjoining house. Both houses were damaged to the extent of about \$1,800.

with no insulance.
Engines Nov. 2 and 3 and Truck Comany No. 2 responded to the alarm, and Chief Shaw had charge of the work It proved a hard fire to handle, being distance from the water. Chief Shaw was slightly overcome by

but he recovered within short while.

RAILROAD Y. M. C. A.

Brakeman, Engineer and Others Speak. Sermon to Walker Light Guards,

A meeting of great interest will be held this atternoon at 3:50 o clock in the Main-Street Station Department of the Young Men's Christian Association. Only men will attend, and Mr. W. R. Hudson trainmaster of the Scaboard Air Lin. Raniway, will preside. The topic for cussion will be "Open Switches," addresses will be delivered by an engineer, a conductor, brakeman, fireman and the railroad department secretar, and other railroad men. The music and social half-hour following the gospel meeting will be an interesting feature of this service. Twenty railroad men make up the chorus, and they are assisted by an orchestra of seven pieces. Railroad men especially invited. Others cordially

Dr. George Cooper will preach in the morning at the First Baptist Church on the subject "The Home of the Heart." At the night service his theme will be "The Average Man."

The Rev. M. Ashby Jones will preach in the morning at Leigh-Street to the Walker Light Guards. In the evening ternoon, when, after a delightful and spirited contest, the highest score was obtained by Mrs. Carroll and Mrs. Perkins north and south, and Mrs. Todd and his subject will be "The Highest Concep-tion of a Man."

The organ recital at the Third Presby terian Church was given Thursday night before a large and appreciative audience. The Stay-at-Home Whist Club was charmingly entertained Thursday night at the residence of Mr. Thomas Moore, when The music, under the direction of Messrs. Webb and Phil. Powers, was excellent. Dr. Witherspoon was extremely happy in his remarks of encouragement to the after a spirited game the highest score of the players resulted in the honors falling to Mrs. Harry Webster and Mrs. C. W. P. Brock, Mrs. Martin will be the hoshad accomplished.

> By special request the Easter song service at the Male Orphan Asylum will be repeated to-morrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

The many friends of the Rev. Herbert M. Hope, who has been quite sick for Mrs. R. Carter Wellford, of Sabin Hall, is the guest of Mrs. B. Rand Wellford, No. 105 East Grace Street. some weeks, will be glad to learn that he is able to be out again. Methodist Sunday-school Society will hold its monthly meeting at Fairmount Church to-morrow afternoon at 3:30 ternoon for the University of Virginia, where she will be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Charles W. Kent, for a week or o'clock The session will be one of special

Columbias Defeated.

Two games were taken by the Olympias from the Columbias Thursday night on Ninth-Street Alleys by close marputs the Columbia only three games in the lead, with fifteen to play while the Olympias have but twelve to

Baptist Sunday-Schools. The monthly and quarterly meeting of the Baptist Sunday-School Association of

few days of Dr. and Mrs. George Ben Johnston, and will remain in the city till Monday. Miss Johnston is warmly wel-comed by her many friends. Richmond and Manchester will be held at Pine-Street Baptist Church to-morrow af-ternoon at 4 o'clock, Rev. M. Ashby Jones will make the ad-Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Lassiter left Thursday for New York, and before returning divers. All are cordially invited to at-will go to Schenectady, N. Y.

SUDDEN ADVANCE IN SUN-CURED

Record-Breaking Prices Received Here Yesterday; \$30 at Stonewall Warehouse.

Suncured tobacco, which has languished somewhat during the past two or three weeks on the Richmond market, has advanced suddenly and in some response remarkably, and sold yesterday on the breaks here at extremely high prices. Not before this season, and perhaps,

Not before this season, and, perhaps, for some years, has tobacco been gobbled up so rapidly at such fancy figures. The highest price of the day was 30tten at Stonewall Warehouse, where a lot of tobacco, owned by R. E. Brooks, of Caroline county, sold for \$50 per hundred pounds. This price is extremely high, and breaks the record for the year and Harness in the State. and breaks the record for the year and, and breaks the record for the year and, perhaps, for several years. It is exceedingly rare when suncured tobacco brings so much on the loose warehouse floor. The entire-sale at Stonewall amounted to 6,640 pounds. One buyer alone purchased seven piles at the following prices: \$19.50, \$30, \$15, \$18, \$19.50, \$22 and \$18.

At Shelburne Warehouse, also, tobacco relate extraordinarily high. Of the entire sold extraordinarily high. Of the entire

break of 24.225 pounds. 17,640 pounds were suncured, which sold at an average of \$12.74. a most unusual figure. highest price at this warehouse was \$19. The best lot of tobacco sold there be-longed to William Martin, of Caroline county, and sold as follows: 235 pounds, \$14; 220 pounds, \$18; 110 pounds, \$18.50; pounds, \$18: 325 pounds, \$14.

The sudden rise in suncured is attrib-uted to different causes. By some it is said to be due to the fine quality of the said to be due to the fine quality of the tobacco; by others to the fact that the Continental Tobacco Company has begun again to buy heavily on the local breaks. It is evident between the local breaks. fact that Butler & Bosher, of this city, have recently secured the navy contract for 200,000 pounds of suncured has served to stimulate prices.

Mr. George A. Haynes, proprietor of Stonewall Warehouse, has just issued the following bulletin of prices now prevailing in the tobacco trade:
New, Dark, Loose Tobacco—
Primings \$3.00 to \$4.50
Lugs, common 400 to 4.50

Lugs, good to prime	5 00 to 5 50
Leaf, short	5 50 to 6 50
Leaf. medium	7 00 to 7 50
Leaf, long	7 00 to 10 00
Selections	10 00
Tobacco, Suncured, New-	N.
Lugs, common	\$ 4 00 to \$ 6 0)
Lugs, good to prime	7 00 to 11 00
Leaf. short	10 00 to 15 (0
Leaf, long	12 E0 to 17 00
Leaf, wrappers	17 00 to 30 00
Tobacco, Dark, Old-	
Lugs. common	\$ 4 50 to \$ 6 00
Lugs, good to prime	6 67 10 7 0)
Leaf, short	7 (0 to 8 0)
Leaf, medium	S 60 to 10 00
Leaf, long	
Deal, long	10 (0)

Among the out-of-town tobacconists in Among the out-of-town tobaccounsts in the city yesterday were the following: Messrs. Archer Keane, of E. K. Jones & Co., Danville; Samuelson, of North Carolina, and John L. Meade, of Sutherlin, Meade Tobacco Company, Danville.

Selections and wrappers...

VISITING THE SCHOOLS.

Board Making its Rounds-News from , the City Hall. The City School Board is engaged in

making its visits among the schools of the city. These visits are not made known in advance to the schools that are visited. The board has selected Tues-day, Wednesday and Thursday of next week as the days for the next visits. A damage suit for \$5,000 was filed in the

Law and Equity Court yesterday morning by R. B. Taylor against the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company. An action of trespass on the case.

The case of the Commonwealth against
Martha Ann Coy, alias Martha Brown

(colored), which was to have been tried yesterday in the Hustings Court, was continued until May 16th. The woman is charged with setting fire o a residence on Church Hill last fall, at which she was employed.

Counsel for the woman will make an counset for the woman will make an effort to prove the woman insane. The announcement of their intention caused the Commonwealth's Attorney to ask that the case be continued, so that he might prepare himself to prosecute the case on that line.

N. B. BROUGHTON TO SPEAK.

Will Address Men's Meeting To-Mor row-Anniversary Service.

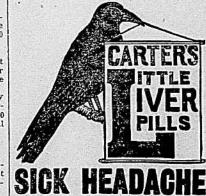
There can be little doubt that the greater men's meeting, which will be held in the Y. M. C. A. Hall this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, will have a very large attendance, as a rare treat is in store Hon. N. B. Broughton, of Raleigh, N. C., one of the leading business men and State Senator, a man of rich ence, will be the speaker. His subject will be "Playing the Fool." The Union Theological Seminary Quartette will sing. The doors will open at 3:10 and all men re welcome.

The boys' meeting will be held at 2:30 o'clock, the speaker being State Secre-tary Coulter. He will have a stirring message for the boys, and there should be a very large attendance.

Dr. Fell will continue his Saturday af-

record talks on the international Sundayschool lesson, ir the association auditorium at 5 c'cool, to-day, and the regular Eible classes will neet to-morrow at 5 c'clock. There will be a quiet hor- and conference at 745 see, sek A. M. in the association parlor, to which all male Christian workers are co-dially invited ill advaru in time for Sunday-school.

instead of one anniversary meeting, or a large number of meetings on a single it was detern and this year to hold association nights at various churches on different nights. The first



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Miller & Rhoads.

meeting was held at the Grace-Street Presbyterian Church, the second at the First Baptist Church and the third ser-First Baptist Church and the third service will be held to-morrow night at 3 o'clock at the Union Station Methodist Church, through the courtesy of the pastor and stewards. The speaker of the evening will be Hon. N. B. Broughton, of Raleigh, N. C. Other interesting exer-cises will be held, and it is more than probable that the Virginia Glee Club

will sing.

While the afternoon meetings at the Y. M. C. A. building are always for men, the night service is open to both ladies and gentlemen. Mr. Broughton has been interested in association work for over twenty years, and his address will be of great interest. He is one of the of great interest. He is one of eading Baptist laymen of North Caro-

CONDITIONAL PARDONS.

Clemency Extended to Sam Dickerson Capitol Notes.

Governor Montague yesterday granted a conditional pardon to San. Dickerson, who was convicted at the January term, 1898, in the County Court of Bedford, for as-sault and sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary. In granting the pardon the Governor says: "All the requirements of the law respecting conditional pardons have been complied with in this case."

The Governor removed the political disabilities of the following:

Frank L. Walling, who was convicted at the August term, 1898, of the Corporation Court of Bristol and sentenced to one year in the penitentiary on the charge of ma-licious assault.

E. F. Carter, who was sentenced to

seven years in the penitentiary from the County Court of Scott, March 14th, 1896, for murder in second degree.

Both of the applicants served their full

Mr. W. J. Milehhane, sheriff of Lee county, and Mr. Joe W. Bronaugh, treasurer of Manchester, were callers to-day in the office of the Auditor of Public Ac-

counts.

Commissioner of Agriculture Koiner is in receipt of letters from Mr. L. C. Lus-tenberger, of Ross, Pa., and E. C. Von-Nest, Long Beach, Cal., making inquiries concerning purchases of Virginia land.

POLICE ASSOCIATION.

Meeting of Board of Directors-Struck in Head in Street Fight. The Board of Directors of the Police

Benevolent Association will meet next Tuesday night in the Chief's office. Major Howard has requested all applicants for positions on the police force who have not seen him in reference to the Benevolent Fund assessment to call at his office. There are 107 applications on file, the majority of whom have not called upon the chief in reference to the

Officer Jenkins arrested John Delamurs and John Parker, the latter colored, yes-terday afternoon for engaging in a fist on Madison Street between Broad and Marshall. Parker bore marks of having gotten the

matter referred to.

vorst of it, and Dr. Foster sewed up a gash in his head.

Walter Schaefer, a fourteen-year-old lad of St. Louis, Mo., is being searched for by the members of the different po-

ice departments throughout the country. With him is Kate Spath, thirty-four years who has, it is alleged, entices the lad away from his home and parents, and they are particularly anxious to have him returned to them and the woman arrested. Another boy and woman are supposed

to be with young Schaefer and the Spath woman, and the police are asked to ar-rest all four. Major Howard has instructed his men to look for the people.

MISS DREWRY SPONSOR. This Young Lady of Chesterfield Is

Selected by the Sons of Veterans. Miss Agnes Drewry, of Centralla, Va., as been appointed sponsor for the Army

of Northern Virginia, Department of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans. Miss Bessie Doyle, of Norfolk, Va., will e her maid of honor. Miss Drewry had been selected by General Stith Bolling to be sponsor for the Virginia Division f Confederate Veterans, but with his characteristic courtesy General Bolling consented that the Sons of Confederate Veterans should have the honor of appointing Miss Drewry.

Marriage License.

A marriage license was issued yester-day morning in the clerk's office of the Henrico County Court to Miss Elizabeth Algers and Mr. Henry Builtje.